GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5112
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P.P.PRABHU COMMITTEE ON COMMODITY BOARDS
SUBODH MOHITE

Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

to the reply given on August 3, 2001 to Unstarred Question No. 1987 regarding Committee to Amalgamate Coffee, Rubber and spices Boards and state:
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(a) whether the Government have examined the recommendations made by the P.P.Prabhu Committee constituted to study the functioning of the commodity boards;

(b) if so, the details of recommendations which have been accepted by the Government especially in respect of Rubber Board; and (

(c) the steps taken / being taken on the basis of said recommendations?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY)

(a) : Yes Sir.

(b) to (c) : Pursuant to the recommendations of the P.P.Prabhu Committee the Commodity Boards, including the Rubber Board, have rationalized and reformulated the Plan Schemes for implementation during the Xth Plan, research activities are being strengthened, staff is being rationalized and computerization of the activities of the Boards is underway.